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WOMAN DISAPPEARS.

The mysterious desappearance and the remarkable career of Miss Violet Gordon Charlesworth are furnishing the English public with a sensation equal to that of the Steinheil case in Paris. Miss Charlesworth, an attrac-tive woman of 25, who lived with her parents in Bodera, St. Asaph, Waies, has been reported as killed while motoring in the direction of Penmaenmaur with her sister and a chauffeur on Saturday. The eleter and the chauffeur aver that the motor car came into collision with the retaining wall of a road along the edge of a cliff overlooking the sea and that Miss Charlesworth was thrown over the wall into the sea.

The sister and the chauffeur gave the foregoing account to the local authorities, and since then the members of the family have declined to see inquirers or to give further details. Those who have examined the scene of the supposed tragedy do not consider it possible that the body could have been washed away. A woman's hat was found upon the rocks, but there was no indication of a body having been thrown over the cliff.

M as Charlesworth's picture-que career suggests that of Madame Humber. She said that she was heirass of a General Gordon, her godfather, who left her \$744 000, which was to be paid over to her on her tweety-fifth birthday, January 13, with accomulated interest, making the whole amount \$2,500,000 Miss Charlesworth usually gave her name as Gordon and visited London

frequently alone.

She operated hessily upon the London Sock Exchange and, according, to the Evening News, owes one broker \$50,000. She took a large country place at Invercess last au mmer watch was sumptuously furnished, the wa'ls being draped with the Gudon plaid. She had four motor cars. The story of of her death is generally disbelieved, slthough her p rents bare offered \$100 for the recovery of her body. The disappearance and the family secreey are causing endless speculation.

THE MASSILLON GLASS INDUS TRY.

Unfavorable business conditions are usually discounted long in advance of their actual occurrence and this is in a way illnstrated by the glass industry in Massillon. All of the unfavorable feat-ures confronting the trade have been fully discussed and the possible advant ages entirely lost sight of. While it is perfectly true that a great menace to the industry exists in the new method of manufacture by machines, it is none the less true that hand made bottles can only be supplanted after a serious struggle. The cost of installing the machines is a serious matter, following which is the payment of a royalty for every bottle produced by the machines. There is also the very favorable argument used by the glass workers themselves that they are large purchasers and consumers, which argument has its ef-fect with purchasers of bottles. In the worst event the glass blower may accept some reduction for his labor and so become a very formidable competitor with the machine. It is to be hoped, how-ever, that the conditions of trace will make this contingency one of the distant future. It may reasonably be expected with more favorable business conditions. that the glass industry in Massillon will take its former position in the trade with a resumption of all the plants.—[Mas-

silion, O., Independent. ONE HUNDRED FOOT GRAVE A most impressive funeral ceremony

was witnessed near Messina yesterday when Archbishop Barrigo made his way through the town through the ruins of the city to the cemetery at Mare Grosso and bleased a grave 100 feet wide and 30 feet deep containing 1,300 bodies. The dead were piled one on top of the ther and the bodies covered with quick

The prelate was followed to the cemetery by a large gathering of survivors, whose ismentations mingled with the Latin words of the service and benedic-

Subsequently the archbishop walked through the ruins and blessed the mililary college, the barracks and the archbishop's house, considering these wrecked edifices as so many cemeteries. Under

them were the corpses of soldiers, stu-dents, policeman and monks. All the valuables found among the ruins are being taken on board the steamer Duca di Grnoa in the bay. Yeaterday currency to the amount of \$3,-600,000, including the contents of the

one of the richest residents, lost every-thing. On Wednesday he went to the authorities barefooted and half clothed and asked for a pair of shoes and an

RUNAWAY PRIEST FOUND. Nicholas Siani, the Catholic priest who disappeared from St. Rocco church, Newark, N. J., a week ago, in company with Juliet Lests, a seventeen-year-old girl, who had been one of his parishouers, was discovered in New York yes-terday by detectives and placed under screet charged with abduction. In the company of Siani, a: the time of his ar-rest, was a young woman, believed by the police to be the Lesta girl, who gave her name as Juliet Siani, and who de-clared she was Siani's wite. The couple were found at the Bradford Hotel in east Eleventh s'reet, where they bad been living since the day of the joint disappearance from Newark. A charge of vagrency was made against the young woman. The two were locked up at po-

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